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OF THE TOWN OF

HAMPTON FALLS, N.H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1,

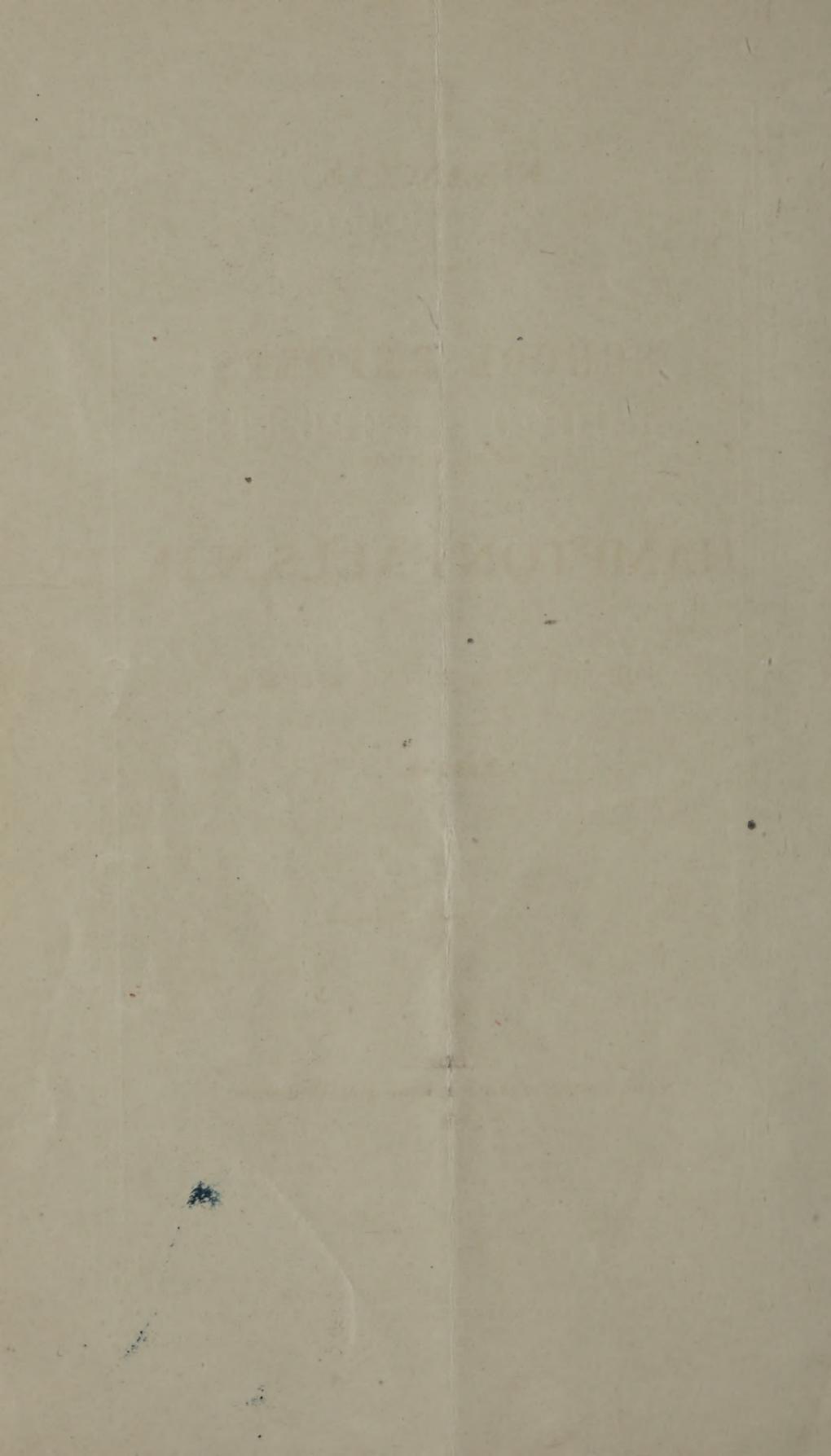
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OFFICERS ELECTED AT ANNUAL MEETING.

Moderator,
WARREN BROWN.

Town Clerk,
CHARLES C. GREEN.

Selectmen,
HENRY H. KNIGHT,
JAMES D. JANVRIN,
JOHN N. SANBORN.

Treasurer,
*HENRY H. KNIGHT.

Board of Education,
NATHAN H. ROBIE,
GEORGE D. DODGE,
JOHN C. SANBORN.

Auditors,
TRUE M. PRESCOTT,
SAMUEL PALMER,
EDWIN JANVRIN.

Collector,
JOHN C. SANBORN.

*Appointed by Selectmen.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Total valuation of Town, April 1, 1873,	\$255,312 00
Invoice of Residents,	\$213,347 00
" Non-residents,	26,765 00
No. of Polls, 152,	15,200 00
Total,	\$255,312 00
Rate : State, County, Town and School Tax, \$1.50 per \$100	
Highway Tax,	33 " 100
Total,	\$1.83 per \$100

APPROPRIATIONS.

For Town Charges,	\$850 00
Schools,	800 00
State Tax,	1,260 00
County Tax,	835 07
Percentage,	84 58
Total,	\$3,829 65
Non-resident Highway Tax,	\$87 19
Dog Tax,	54 00
	\$141 19
Total amount committed for collection,	\$3,970 84

MONEY RECEIVED.

Rec'd of State Treas., Bounty Claims,	\$192 00
" " Insurance Tax,	15 00
" " Railroad "	577 58
" " Savings bank tax,	109 99
" " Literary Fund,	56 58
Claims from County,	97 75
Amount paid Town Treasurer,	————— \$1,048 90

JAMES D. JANVRIN,
JOHN N. SANBORN,

Selectmen of Hampton Falls.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Henry H. Knight, Treasurer, in account with the Town of Hampton Falls, for the year ending March 1, 1874.

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To balance on hand March 1, 1873,	\$540 07
amount rec'd of Selectmen,	1,048 90
" " J. C. Sanborn, Collector,	3,970 84
amount received of John M. Marshall, Town Agent,	2 85
Total receipts,	————— \$5,562 66

CR.

By the following payments by order of the Selectmen :

State Tax,	\$1,260 00
County Tax,	835 07
Board of Education,	856 58
Appropriation for Town Landing,	50 00
Heirs of B. F. Marshall, bounty claim,	100 00
Support of Poor, (A)	405 75
Roads and Bridges, (B)	553 54
Services of Town Officers, (C)	190 00
Town Indebtedness, (D)	372 00
Incidental Expenses, (E)	83 38
Abatements,	64 85
Total Expenditures,	————— \$4,771 17
Balance on hand,	————— \$791 49

(A)

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid C. H. Sanborn, for medicine and attendance on Hannah Blake and child,	\$4 00
Charles Chase, rent for Mrs. Page,	15 00
Charles A. Hardy, for boarding Green Hoag from August 3, 1873, to March 1, 1874, 30 weeks, at \$3.50 per week,	105 00
Whetting saw and sawing wood,	1 00
B. F. Weare, one-half cord of wood to Green Hoag,	2 50
Abigail Smith, for boarding and nursing Green Hoag, 17 weeks ending August 3, 1873,	42 50
Abigail Smith, bedding for Green Hoag,	4 80
E. T. Chase, provisions to Green Hoag,	55
C. C. Green, goods to Mrs. Page;	39 90
J. D. Janvrin, wood to Green Hoag,	28 50
J. D. Janvrin, wood to Mrs. Page,	48 50
D. M. Whittier, wood to Mrs. Page,	3 25
Aid to transient paupers,	110 25
	—————
	\$405 75

(B)

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid J. H. Gove, work, &c., on Falls River Bridge,	\$43 60
Brown & Prescott, lumber and teaming,	104 88
Jacob T. Brown, lumber on new road bridge,	43 37
Warren Brown, labor and ma- terial on bridge,	98 30
Charles T. Brown, 40 loads of gravel,	4 00
A. J. Chase, work on bridge,	7 50
J. C. Sanborn, lumber and labor on bridge,	29 63
T. M. Prescott, plank for Curtis bridge,	10 08
J. H. Gove, 50 lbs. spikes,	3 00
John S. Tilton, for pickaxe broken,	2 00
George F. Dow, for land and damage,	48 00
T. M. Prescott, for repairing highway, March, 1873,	1 25
Lowell F. Merrill, for making snow paths and work on bridge,	27 50
Alvah D. Prescott, making snow paths, March, 1873,	12 00
John C. Keniston, making snow paths,	9 35
James D. Janvrin, making snow paths,	6 30

Paid J. E. Brown, for making snow paths, March, 1873,	11 60
J. C. Sanborn, for making snow paths,	16 60
True M. Prescott, making snow paths, March, 1873.	6 80
J. M. Marshall, making snow paths,	5 95
Samuel Pevear, making snow paths,	9 60
Andrew J. Chase, making snow paths,	1 33
Warren B. Pevear, making snow paths,	3 50
Daniel Pevear, making snow paths, March, 1873,	8 20
James D. Janvrin, making snow paths, March, 1873,	10 30
Green Hardy, making snow paths, March, 1873,	19 50
J. D. Janvrin, work, &c., on Falls River Bridge,	9 40
	—————
	\$553 54

(C)

OFFICERS' SERVICES.

Paid Board of Education,	\$15 00
John C. Sanborn, Collector,	50 00
Charles C. Green, Town Clerk,	15 00
James D. Janvrin, Selectman,	25 00
John N. Sanborn, "	25 00
Henry H. Knight, "	40 00
Henry H. Knight, Treasurer.	20 00
	—————
	\$190 00

(D)

TOWN INDEBTEDNESS.

Paid John H. Gove, interest to March 1, 1874,	\$348 00
Lorana Brown, interest to March 1, 1874,	24 00
	—————
	\$372 00

(E)

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Paid Levi E. Lane, expense of Au- ditors, 1873,	\$3 00
C. H. Sanborn, for return of births and deaths,	4 75
Lewis W. Brewster, printing Town Accounts,	25 00
J.C. Akerman, for preparing Aca- demy Hall for Town Meeting, Oct. 11, 1873,	1 00
Jacob T. Brown, for rent of land for hearse house,	2 00
Charles C. Green, postage and stationery,	1 92
Henry H. Knight, postage and stationery,	1 50
Henry H. Knight, expenses to Concord to pay State tax,	3 00
Paid M. S. Pike, for damage done to sheep by dogs,	8 00
Dean R. Tilton, for damage done to sheep by dogs,	15 00
George E. Lane, books and sta- tionery,	4 21

James D. Brown, for use of Christian Chapel,	14 00
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ABATEMENTS.

Benjamin Brown's taxes, 1872,	\$2 58
David Creighton, poll tax, 1872,	1 73
Samuel Brown, poll tax, 1873,	1 50
Green Hardy, " " "	1 50
Daniel E. Pevear, dog tax, 1873,	1 00
Benjamin Brown's taxes, 1873,	3 25
Non-resident highway taxes paid in labor,	53 29
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HENRY H. KNIGHT, *Treasurer,*

AUDITORS' REPORT.

\$791 49

We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer for the year ending March, 1, 1874, and find them well vouched, correctly cast, and a balance in the hands of the Treasurer of seven hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty-nine cents.

TRUE M. PRESCOTT, }
SAMUEL PALMER, } *Auditors.*

HAMPTON FALLS, N. H., Feb. 24, 1874.

TOWN DEBTS, MARCH 1, 1874.

Date of notes	Payable to	Amount	Rate percent	Int. paid to
March 1, 1871.	John H. Gove	\$5,300	6	March 1, 1874.
" 1, 1872.	John H. Gove	500	6	" "
" 1, 1871.	Lorana Brown	400	6	" "
	Total liabilities,	-	-	\$6,200 00
	Less by cash on hand,	-	-	791 49
	Total debt,	-	-	\$5,408 51

HENRY H. KNIGHT, *Treasurer.*

SCHOOL REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 10, 1874.

NORTH SCHOOL.

Miss Mary S. Blake of Kensington, has taught this school the past year with a good degree of success. The discipline of the school deserves the highest commendation. The examination at the close of the last term was very satisfactory to parents and friends present.

Scholars not absent one half day during the year—Ellen P. Cram, Sarah D. Curtis, Abbie E. Shepard, Annie C. Sanborn. Not absent during one term, 16.

EAST SCHOOL.

During the summer term Miss Nettie C. Wilson of Coleaine, Mass., “kept the village school.” She was a good scholar, but failed as a disciplinarian.

For the winter term the services of Miss Frances C. Pittman of Ward’s Corners, Buchanan county, Iowa, were secured. Miss Pittman was equal to the task she undertook. She was at home in the school room, and labored with a zeal that knew no faltering. The result was, order took the place of chaos. The discipline of the school was completely revo-

lutionized, and the term was one of benefit to all concerned. Six scholars were not absent one half day during one term.

SOUTH SCHCOL.

This school has had the services of two excellent teachers during the year. Mrs. Maria P. Sawyer of Kensington, had charge of the spring term, and gave the best of satisfaction. The progress made was highly creditable. At the close of the spring term the school was deprived of her services by her resignation. The connection between herself and associates, and pupils, during the three terms she had taught, had been happy and profitable. She retired, followed by the regrets and best wishes of all. The vacancy thus occasioned was filled by the selection of Miss Sarah E. Lane of Exeter, a graduate of "Robinson Female Seminary," who taught the fall term successfully. It was obvious to all present at the close of the term, that we have good reason for satisfaction with the progress that has been made in this school. We recommend Miss Lane as a faithful and efficient teacher.

Not absent one half day during the year—Josephine Blatchford, Mary H. Chase. Not absent during one term, 7.

WEST SCHOOL.

This school has been under the tuition of Miss Hattie F. Marston of North Hampton, during the year. Miss Marston is a quiet but efficient teacher. The order has been good, and the improvement reflects credit upon both teacher and pupils.

Scholars not absent one half day during the year—Martha E. Nason, Alma F. Prescott. Elvin J. Prescott. Not absent during one term, 15.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

	North School.		East School.		South School.		West School.	
	1st Term.	2d Term.	1st Term.	2d Term.	1st Term.	2d Term.	1st Term.	2d Term.
Wages of teacher per month,	\$25	\$25	\$32	\$28	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
No. of weeks of school,	16	11	21	92.5	12	16	11	17
Whole number of scholars,	32	26	50	49	29	26	22	26
Average attendance,	23	21	36	26	20	19	26	23
No. of instances of tardiness	32	7	239	359	5	59	61	130
No. of scholars not absent one half day,	15	5	4	2	4	5	17	3
No. of visits by citizens and others,	26	16	28	21	8	6	4	25
No. of visits by Board of Education.	3	4	6	6	3	3	2	4

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Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN H. ROBIE,
 GEORGE D. DODGE,
 JOHN C. SANBORN, } *Board of Education.*

HAMPTON FALLS, February 25, 1874.

